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FURTHER REQUEST FOR STATUS ANSWER TO APPEAL BRIEF

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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May 26, 2004

Dear SPE Robert Olszewski:

A Request for Status Answer to Appeal Brief was filed on May 6, 2004. We have yet to receive a response to our request.

An Appeal Brief was filed on December 9, 2003, in support of a Notice of Appeal filed on October 9, 2003, in the above-identified application. We have not received an Answer to our Appeal Brief from the U.S. Patent and Trademark office and hereby request a status of the Answer to our Appeal Brief on the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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